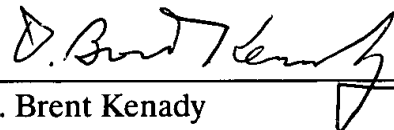


REMARKS

Claims 1-21 and 35-91 are canceled, leaving claims 22-34 pending in the application. Applicant elects to prosecute the claims of Group E and requests examination of such claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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